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SUBJECT:INVITATION TO FINANCE SECRETARY CEMOVIC

REF: BELGRADE 4895, BELGRADE 4386

1. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY BLUMENTHAL HAS TODAY
(JULY 21) SIGNED A LETTER INVITING FINANCE SECRETARY
CEMOVIC TO THE U.S. FOR BILATERAL TALKS SEPTEMBER 22-23.
TEXT OF LETTER FOLLOWS: -- --

BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. SECRETARY:

--- ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, I WOULD
LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO WASHINGTON TO PARTICIPATE IN BI-
LATERAL TALKS ON THE CURRENT STATUS AND FUTURE DIRECTION
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OF U.S.-YUGOSLAV BILATERAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS.

--- IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT YOU WILL BE IN THE UNITED
STATES TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL
MONETARY FUND, TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON, SEPTEMBER 24-28.
IF IT IS CONVENIENT FOR YOU, I PROPOSE THAT WE HOLD OUR

DISCUSSIONS ON SEPTEMBER 22-23. DURING THOSE TWO DAYS, MEETINGS COULD BE ARRANGED FOR YOU WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF SEVERAL U.S. GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, INCLUDING TREASURY, THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION, AND THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK.

--- I LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING WITH YOU, MR. SECRETARY, AND I AM CONFIDENT THAT OUR MEETINGS WILL BE PRODUCTIVE AND OF BENEFIT TO BOTH OUR COUNTRIES.

--- BEST REGARDS,

--- SINCERELY, W. MICHAEL BLUMENTHAL. END TEXT.

2. AMBASSADOR MAY ALSO INDICATE TO CEMOVIC THAT WE EXPECT TO ARRANGE APPROPRIATE LEVEL MEETINGS AT STATE DURING HIS VISIT.

3. FYI ONLY. SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL HAS SCHEDULED A PERSONAL MEETING WITH CEMOVIC (ALONG WITH UNDER SECRETARY SOLOMON) FOR SEPTEMBER 22 AT 5:00 AND A DINNER THAT SAME EVENING. VANCE

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